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Dear Dr. Kahl:

Pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994, Nature's Way Products, Inc. wishes to notify the Food and Drug Administration that it has within the past 30 days, commenced marketing a dietary supplement which bears a statement of nutritional support.

The dietary supplement for which the statement is made is Neuromins. The dietary ingredient that is the subject of the statement is docosahexaenoic acid. The statement of nutritional support reads as follows:

"Docosahexaenoic acid (DHA) is an essential fatty acid necessary for mental and visual function. Low levels of DHA have been correlated with changes in disposition, memory loss, visual function and other neurological conditions. Neuromins, when taken as directed, will elevate the blood levels of DHA in both infant and mother during pregnancy and lactation."

This statement is accompanied by the required disclaimer which is prominently displayed in bold-faced type.

This statement of nutritional support is based on data which renders these statements substantiated, truthful and non-misleading.

Sincerely,

NATURE'S WAY PRODUCTS, INC.

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